

# Langwith Class Plan Autumn Term 2021

## PE

Our outdoor PE sessions during the first half term will be based on developing skills to play the game of hockey. During the second half of this term our indoor PE sessions will be gymnastics.

## Music

In our Music sessions we will:-

Listen to different types of music with the themes of 'Light and Dark.'

## Foundation Studies

In our topic sessions we will begin by thinking about how The Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age fit onto a timeline of World History.

We will then begin by studying The Stone Age thinking about how the people developed throughout this time in terms of their houses, food, lifestyles, religious beliefs and technological developments and inventions.

We will go on a trip to Brackenhurst to learn more about the way of life of Stone Age people.

We then move on to the Bronze Age and compare the lives of the people during this time with those of the people of the Stone Age.

We will finish our work by looking at how far people had moved on in their development and lifestyle, by the time of the Iron Age.

## Art and Design

As part of our topic work we will be making various artefacts such as clay pots.

We will look at cave painting and then create some of our own.

We will also make some shadow puppets and silhouette pictures connected to our work about light.

We hope to make our own candles.

We will also design and make a pop-up book or card.

We will be improving our drawing skills by focusing on portraits.

## Literacy

Our Literacy work this term will be based on texts connected to our topic work and on the theme of 'Light and Dark'.

This will involve studying adventure stories, non-chronological reports and stories with familiar settings.

We will also start to look at different types of poetry by studying humorous poems and Christmas poetry.

We will complete daily comprehension and spelling sessions and there will be weekly tests of individual spellings.

## PSHE

We will be following the Jigsaw PSHE program and look at the topics 'Being Me' and 'Celebrating differences'. We will also be undertaking work on Anti-bullying during Anti-bullying Week.



## ICT

We will use the I-Pads and the Internet to research information for our topic. We will learn how to use different software to collect and present information.

## RE

During our RE sessions we will think about Creation and then move on to think about the story of Adam and Eve and the 'Fall'. We will also look at some Inspirational people of faith and think about what we can learn from their stories.

This term we will also talk about Harvest and Christmas and also think about the festival of Diwali and the story of Rama and Sita.

## Science

In our Science sessions we will be studying the topics of Light and Rocks.

During our studies about Light we will focus on the sources of light both natural and manmade and think about how shadows are formed. We will talk about how light can be split to make different colours and think about how light can be reflected. During our work on rocks we will learn about different types of rocks and how they were formed. We will carry out different tests on different types of rocks to find out about their properties e.g. how permeable they are. We will also look at different types of soils and think about fossils.

## Numeracy

Our Numeracy work this term will involve studying the following areas:-

Place value, mental calculation strategies, multiplication and division, money, measuring length, time, 2D & 3D shapes and data analysis.

We will also be undertaking weekly mental arithmetic tests and focus on learning times tables.

